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AROUND THE TOWN

Mr. James of London, Ont., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. Youngs, west of town.

A swell line of the newest in belts and collars just opened at the millinery store.

J. Gingrich and wife of Grand Rapids, Mich., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hembling last week.

The best ever held will be the slogan after the Fair on Monday and Tuesday next. It will be the best ever held.

Mrs. Geo. Smith of Ottawa, Ont., is visiting with her sister Mrs. Joseph J. Hiltz, who lives west of town.

A car of genuine Lethbridge coal for sale each week at \$0.50 per ton, cash, on track. Apply to Stark & Mowers.

Four good prizes are being offered to the boys and girls riding the best ponies at the Fair. Come out and try to win some pocket money.

The Bachelors Club will give a dance in the Opera House on Tuesday evening next. This is the first dance of the season and it promises to be a good one.

The public of Didsbury extend to you a hearty invitation to attend the fair on Monday and Tuesday next. It will be the best ever held.

I set dice barrels, four up, 1 set bowls, 1 box, butter, for sale cheap, or will take grain in exchange. W. G. Hunter, Alberta Pacific Elevator, Didsbury.

Bring your father, mother, brother, sister, wife and children to the fair next Monday and Tuesday to see what Didsbury district can do in all agricultural lines.

The Carpenter-Morton Co., Boston Mass. were the first paint concern to offer Varish Stains to housekeepers. Campell's Varish Stain is the original first made in 1888 and is today recognized as the most satisfactory article of the kind upon the market. W. H. Smith carries a complete stock. Card for asking.

The good list of prizes being offered by the Agricultural Society is going to be a great factor in making the Didsbury Fair a huge success this year. Several entries have already been made. Bigger prizes are being offered than at any other Fair of its size in Alberta.

The Ladies of the Methodist church instead of serving lunch in the Jackson Block, as was announced in last week's issue, will serve a regular dinner from 11.30 o'clock until 3 o'clock on the last day of the Didsbury Fair. All who care to sample this dinner we feel sure will not be disappointed as to quality or quantity as the ladies are doing all in their power to make it a success. Price 25c.

Sinclair & Connan, the machinists and blacksmiths, have lately made quite an addition to their already well equipped machine shop by installing a cold tire up-setter. This machine will set a set of tires in forty minutes which means not only a great saving of time to their customers who wish the work done but makes the work much easier for themselves. The machine will set any size tyre. Messrs Sinclair and Connan intend having this machine on exhibition at the Fair grounds on show day and will set tyres for half price to show how the machine works. There are very few of these machines in the West and this enterprising firm are to be congratulated in installing such an up-to-date machine.

Due Bills for farm produce taken in exchange for goods at Mrs. Stevens millinery store

Make your entries for the show early and save the officers a lot of worry and trouble at the last minute.

An emergency meeting of the King Hiram Lodge, A.F. and A.M., will be held on Wednesday evening next. All brethren are requested to be present.

A special meeting of the C.O.F. will be held on Friday night next at the Lodge rooms. All members are requested to be present—business of importance.

The Didsbury sports Committee are putting up some good races on Tuesday afternoon next, come in and see them, see add on last page for prizes.

The Fair is to be held on the grounds opposite the Pioneer office. The building owned by Mr. Rutli, and which was formerly occupied as a furniture store, will be used for rods and fancy exhibits.

A meeting was held on Tuesday night in the Council chambers to consider forming a Young Men's Club, but there were hardly enough present to take any definite action in the matter. Several things were talked of amongst them being, that of forming an Association for the purpose of providing a skating and curling rink but as there were so few there no action was taken.

P. P. Patterson, surveyor from Calgary, was in town on Thursday taking the levels for streets and the railroad crossing also for drainage of the sloughs. He did not go to the park to survey the race track as the Railway Commission is on its way out west and the blue prints for the railway crossing have to be prepared at once for the Commission but he will return on Monday to survey the track.

Would Cost Too Much.

An informal meeting of some of the Councilors took place on Tuesday morning to meet the Fairbanks-Morse representative and to go over the question of installing a system of waterworks for fire fighting purposes with him. The proposition of placing a tank on the butte and running a main down Hespeler street to east Didsbury and down Shantz Ave. from Hiebert street to Boundary street was gone into but the cost of installing this system was found to be so great that it was dropped, the figures, so far as it was worked out, totalling over \$24,000. The next suggestion was that of placing a tank on the town property and running a main down Osler street to the laneway at the rear of the business blocks from Hiebert street to the south end livery barn, and purchasing 1,500 feet of hose. This was not figured out to any extent but the representative of the Company will give the cost in a few days.

Auction Sales

To be conducted by G. B. Sexsmith, Auctioneer, Didsbury.
Oct. 16—A. L. Wilson, 2 1/2 mile south and 1/2 mile west of Didsbury.
Oct. 17—Mrs. Ward M. White, 3 1/2 miles south and 6 miles west of Didsbury.
Oct. 20—Elmer Tucker, 2 1/2 miles east and 1 mile north of Carstairs, on Lone Pine Creek.
Oct. 21—Joseph Roberts, 18 miles east and 1/2 mile north of Didsbury.

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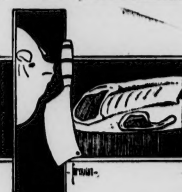
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THE CURATE'S AID

By MARY B. EAKET.

"Jennie! Jennie! Come and see the new curate. I am sure he is coming in here."

Jean McLeod, a tall, fair girl of twenty-two summers, hastened to her mother's side.

They lived on the outskirts of the lovely village of Bothmore and any stranger who entered the village streets was sure to receive marked attention from all.

Health had failed the old clergyman who had for the last eighteen years been in charge of the one little wooden church and as his doctors had insisted upon a change of air it was rumored that a young and handsome Oxford man was to fill the vacant place.

No wonder then that Jean came quickly at her mother's call.

How glad she was to feel that there was one who would appreciate her talents and understand her moods.

Jean McLeod, an only daughter and her father's pet had indeed been staid in childhood and as she grew older had been even more so, so that she might have every advantage and accomplishment which tend to make the so-called "lady of the house."

Thus she had gradually grown into the fixed idea, that the ignorant youth of Bothmore would be inferior to her level and that, well, they were not learned enough to be able to understand and appreciate her.

But when she met her parents, her advantages and her ideas.

"Why, yes, mother, he has turned into the land already and you can take it off and make your own look a bit better, remember, he will not be like Mr. Dean—he has been reared in the city and from Oxford too. What a home he will find in the people here. We must make it as pleasant for him as we can."

"Well I always made old Mr. Dean at home. But I have a clean apartment. But I suppose you know best. It seems to me if we do, have to go and dress every time we see the clergyman coming, whether we are wearing a washing or a churning, that it is the curate himself who will soon be a bore."

"Yes, saying Mrs. McLeod went slowly up the stairs to get the required touches to her dress."

At the door, which in answer to his light rap, was opened by Jean McLeod at home."

"Pardon me, madam, but is Mrs. McLeod at home?"

"This was hardly the greeting Jean expected, but she was not one to be easily startled. She looked at the man and she would make him her friend at all costs. So smiling sweetly she said: "Yes, sir, my mother, Mrs. McLeod, is at home and will be down in a minute. But you will please step into the parlor and wait, you are our new curate are you not? We recognize you as you came up the lane."

"Yes, madam, and I am indeed pleased that my parishioners recognize me so readily."

"When you have finished your long as I have you will be glad to have an opportunity of recognizing some stranger from the city and from Oxford will find it very dull here, and the people are such a bore, my curate here but feel it."

"I hope not, madam. My duty here is not to recognize the outer world, but the inner world of the little parish, and I shall do my utmost to fulfill that duty; as for my feeling the people of this village dull, for to my mind one that is a bore one's self before one can feel bored by others."

"This was rather more than Jean expected, and from a city-bred gentleman too, really it was too terrible to be true. Why, he had as much as told her that she was a bore. She felt like leaving him, but she was going to tell her mother how horrid he was; but no, she would stay, and would not answer his rude remark."

Although her silence was meant to stun him, it seemed to her, he thought it golden, for he did not attempt to continue the conversation, but sat looking out on the lawn as if he were in deep thought, the sweetest thing in God's good earth."

Mrs. McLeod was now coming down the stairs. She would bring him to his place before her mother entered.

"Pardon, sir, my mother—the words were hard and cold, but the curate seemed not to even notice it, but he rose quickly and crossed the room to the door just as her mother was about to enter."

"Mrs. McLeod, I beg pardon. I am Mr. Waltham, your new curate, and it is indeed a pleasure for me to make your acquaintance. I trust we may become firm friends in the near future. I have made the acquaintance of your daughter, but I believe I have already heard her of my own eyes." So saying, he turned to Mrs. McLeod in a large easy chair, the very one Jean had chosen for him.

"Now, Mrs. McLeod, I want your advice, counsel and help. I am a stranger here at present, and from you I want some advice as to the quickest way to win the hearts and minds of my people, and also to keep my words from being taken for the quickest way to the light. I cannot receive ego as one and the same time, and therefore, some do not need it. I am an old hand at this, though lack of knowledge I may neglect those who

are so much in need of help that they are so much to the light alone. You can always lead the bulk of your flock, but there are some who are trying so hard to follow, and yet need help in places, or they will be at once lost, and then their way. It is for those my heart bleeds and for those I want your aid and sympathy."

"It is indeed very good of you to come to me, Mr. Waltham, and I am sure I will help you all I can. But why have you not sought this advice from Jennie? She knows them all and all as well as I, and has been counting on being an aid to you in your work here. I assure you, Mr. Waltham, no one has been more overjoyed at your coming than she. Her college days were spent abroad, and it is such a tie for her now to have to live in this dull place, as she calls it. For myself, I find it a very interesting little place indeed."

"I agree with you, Mrs. McLeod, and now I want you, Mr. Waltham, to be interesting for me, too. Jean may know all the people as well as you, but she does not know the heart of the people. She does not feel for them as you do. If it be her desire to aid in my work here, we will endeavor to find a way for her to do so, but now it is your help I want."

The very idea that Jean had only met ten minutes before, calling her Jean, and how rude he was to speak of her in such tones. Why, he had not even told her his name, or that he was pleased to meet her, or anything, and had refused her advice with regard to her daughter, even before it was proffered."

And this was the man she had planned and dreamt about—the man whom she had looked to, to brighten life at Bothmore. Truly life is false, indeed. She had been so utterly deceived."

Sitting like one in a dream, she heard him tell her mother, and yet she did not, but when he rose to go she knew she was not sorry."

He was at least more courteous than on his arrival. Crossing the room, he held out his hand. "Miss McLeod, your mother and I have some such staunch friends. Will you not congratulate me? And, by the way, I understand that you are desirous of aiding me also. I shall count on you, and an sure will find plenty of little errands to send your willing hands to do."

"Thank you, sir, I will try to be of service to you if you so desire."

"Desire? Why, my dear Miss McLeod, I desire you to see, I have that right, and I am sure you will see, but also your mother's friend that now I must bid you farewell."

His calls, one must always watch him go quickly down and yet could not help admiring him as he swung briskly away."

He went to his study, where you think now of your city curate?"

"Think? Why, Jean, he is just the man for the place. So kind and thoughtful. Why, I am sure he will not put poor people down as our dear old Mr. Dean; and it will be so pleasant for you, too. He says he intends interesting you in some cases where he is sure you will be useful, and where you will lose your present opinion of your neighbors."

"Oh, indeed! He seems very confident of my services. I suppose just because he came from Oxford, he thinks we will all wait on our knees to do his bidding. I never had to stoop to such deeds of humility when Mr. Dean was here, and I do not see why he should need such a lot of aid. As for being kind and thoughtful, I failed to see it, if he was. Why, he was positively rude to me. But I do not intend to worry over it. I am going out for a walk now, but will be back in time to get tea, so you need not bother about that."

Mrs. McLeod sighed deeply as her daughter left the room. She loved very much, but she could see she was fast becoming so restless and discontented that the true sunny nature seldom had a chance of showing itself.

A week later, as Jean was gathering some beautiful blues for her Japanese table bowls, she was surprised to hear a voice call her. "Good-morning, Miss McLeod, will you do me a favor? Miss Lenard, the seamstress, is very ill, and I am sure you would be very grateful for a glimpse of your lovely flowers. No, I will not stop to be thanked for the suggestion. I am sure she would have had them long ago, and you know."

Without another word the curate moved quickly on, leaving Jean standing like one struck dumb.

"Well, at all things! You would really like him, wouldn't you? I still like his nerve, and I suppose I will

go. I will let him see that he is not the only one who can care for the sick."

In little less than an hour Jean had kept her word, and with a beautiful bouquet of flowers in one hand, and such a big basket of good things in the other, she went laughing down the street. It seemed funny to her to be doing anything useful beyond the home garden walk."

Nevertheless she enjoyed her errand, and as she went some of the poor, sick folk, she felt very glad indeed that she had been so kindly and impulsively and ignored the request.

As the days and weeks went quickly by, the curate seemed always to find fresh work for Jean, and each request came in that peculiar half pleading and half commanding tone. Each request was also always met, but in the same haughty, condescending manner, and, pleasing to say, always carried out to the letter, in Jean's own sunny way.

The days and the summer sped quickly away. It was the last garden party of the year. Rich and poor from all over the village seemed to enjoy the simple program provided for them by the curate who had so gently won his way into the hearts of all.

Jean had been the busiest of all the day. She had prepared and served the refreshments, and a world of comfort here, a laugh and a smile here, perhaps just a handkerchief, but always managing to avoid the curate.

She was sitting on a low garden bench, she watched the tired but happy people as they seemed to linger around the glories of the day, dreaming as it were to find her way to the dear old garden with its sunny nooks.

So intent was Jean upon the scene that she did not notice the approach of the curate till he laid his hands upon her shoulders, and she started, only to find herself gently but firmly held there."

"Why, what do you avoid me all day? I wanted you to aid me and instead you insist upon neglecting me and aiding my parishioners. I need you, Jean. They all love you, but I even more than they. Surely you will not refuse me now?"

"As Jean lay down to rest that night she could not remember what her answer had been, but she knew that she was very, very happy, and that Mr. Waltham was the best curate she had ever known or, for that matter, ever wished to know."

The transition from winter's cold to summer's heat frequently puts a strain upon the system that produces internal conditions, always painful and often serious. A common form of this is "catarrh," which many are prone to in the spring and summer. The very best medicine to use in subduing this painful ailment is Dr. J. C. Kellogg's Dipsody's Cure. It is a standard remedy, sold everywhere.

"Poor man! Have you always been blind?"

"No, madam," answered Tired Tiffin, "thinkingly." "Last week I was lame, but here wasn't snuff in it."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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Against the King.

Many people blithely imagine that "royal majesty" that is, insulting royalty—is a crime peculiar to foreign countries and unknown in free and happy Britain. That, however, is where they make a mistake.

For instance, technically a punishable offence to stick a penny stamp on a letter upside down. Doing that to insult the King is a crime in his office, and a few centuries ago—supposing penny stamps to have been invented—might easily have landed the offender in prison on a charge of seeking to bring ridicule on the sovereign or to express contempt for his authority by causing his picture to stand on its head. Also, a punishable offence to deface a coin of the realm bearing the royal image and then deliberately put it into circulation again.

To strike the King would, according to the strict letter of the law, render the assailant liable to the death penalty, no matter how trifling the blow was in reality.—Pearson's Weekly.

The Age of the Human Race.

The highest authorities place the total number of years elapsed since, in "high" antiquity, the first evidences, men first appeared upon the earth at 28,900. Of this, 78,000 years is the time of the glacial epoch, 100,000 years to the glacial, 44,000 years to the interval between the glacial epoch and the prehistoric and neolithic, 10,000 years to the last named epoch, and 6,000 years to the time elapsed since the beginning of the historic period in Egypt.

When Holloway's Corn Cure is applied to a corn or wart it kills the roots and the callosity comes off without any injury to the flesh.

Somehow a compliment is pleasing a woman even when she knows it isn't sincere.

A glass of food "Salada" Tea will be found most refreshing this warm weather. As cooling as a summer breeze.

"Don't marry the first girl you fall in love with; wait till you have seen her in all her moods. The Montagu Advertiser. This recalls the story of the maid who went through the street in search of a perfect stick, leaving many good ones behind, in the hope of finding something better, until she had made her journey, she had to take a crooked one at last. The trouble with some old maids and bachelors is that they are too particular.—San Antonio Express.

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A minister of a church in Edinburgh, Scotland, recently stated to the congregation at a Sunday evening service by handing in his resignation. He was aged 60 years and was in good health and vigor. The following Sunday a committee of the members waited upon him to request that he retract that act. They said: "You are a minister; you have plenty of health; you are young; but you have handed in your resignation. Why will you not retract that act?"

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Another Constable Appointed

The Council met on Monday night
in the Council, chambers, Mayor Ses-
smith, Councillors Atkins, Smith,
Shantz, Hembling, Liesemer, Berscht,
Secretary Eby and Solicitor Macleod
being present.

A letter was read from the Townsite
Co. re expropriation of streets in east
Didsbury in which they declined to
take part in expropriation proceedings
because there was an error on the part
of the town as to description of bound-
aries of street, but also stating that as
soon as this was remedied they were
ready and willing to do all in their
power to forward same and also sug-
gesting that the matter be laid before
the Public Works department at Ed-
monton.

The clerk was instructed to forward
copy of letter to Edmonton and also to
reply to Townsite Co.

The next matter taken up was the
lighting question. The Fire Water and
Light Committee reported that they
had received information and prices
from the Empire Light Co. of Mon-
real and the Consolidated Gas and
Electric Co. of Chicago. The lamps of
the Empire Light Co. would cost
\$100 each and that of the Consolidated
Gas and Electric Co. \$50 each. The
latter offered to send lamps on 30 days
trial.

Moved by Councillors Hembling and
Liesemer that three of the Consolidated
Gas and Electric Co.'s lamps be put in
on thirty days trial.—Lost on casting
vote of Mayor.

Moved by Councillors Atkins and
Smith that one sample be put in on
thirty days trial.—Carried.

The drainage of the north end of
town on the C.P.R. property was again
taken up as the matter had been al-
lowed to drop for some months. The
Solicitor and Board of Health were in-
structed to get after the C.P.R. at
once.

Some complaints have been made to
some of the Councillors that the scav-
enger was not attending properly to
business. The clerk was instructed to
notify him that he would have to abide
by the bylaw on this matter.

The question of the careless dump-
ing of ashes was also taken up as it was
reported that parties were dumping hot
ashes on manure piles. The question of
making everybody provide some
receptacle for ashes was again discus-
sed at some length but nothing was
done in the matter.

Complaints were also received of
cattle running at large. The pound
bylaw is to be rigidly enforced.

The Fire, Water and Light Com-
mittee had received a reply from the
Fairbanks-Morse Co. and the J. L.
White Co. re sending experts here to
to discuss fire fighting matters. That
from the Fairbanks Co. stated that a
representative would come to Didsbury
on Monday and go over the situation
with the Council but a telegram was
received from Calgary on Monday
night stating that the representative
had missed the train but would be up
on Tuesday morning. The letter from
Whites stated that if the Council would
appoint a committee of two to go to
Yerkton to inspect their compressed
air system that they would pay the ex-
penses and that after the committee
had returned if the Council was favor-
ably impressed towards their system
they would send a representative to
meet the council and go over the mat-
ter free of cost.

The latter letter was placed on file
while it was decided that all of the
Councillors who could should meet
the Fairbanks representative on Tues-
day morning.

The matter of appointing another
constable was then taken up.
Moved by Couns. Atkins and Shantz
that P. Vernon be offered the post of
constable at \$24 per month, duties to
commence on November 1st. Mr. Ver-
non to hold the position at the pleas-
ure of the Council.

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Come in and see our Special line
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All kinds of repairing neatly and promptly executed

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Couns. Atkins, Shantz and Berscht
voted yes. Couns. Hembling, Lie-
semmer and Smith voted nay. The vote
being tie. Mayor Scamman voted in
favor of the motion which was carried.
After passing some bills and ac-
counts the Council adjourned.

A pain prescription is printed upon each
box of Dr. Shoup's Pink Pain Tablets.
Ask your Doctor or Druggist if this formula
is not complete. Head pains, womanly
pains, pains anywhere get instant relief from
a Pink Pain Tablet. Sold by H. W. Cham-
berlain.

A Fine Exhibit.

Pedestrians passing the real estate
office of G. M. Gaddes on Friday last,
were surprised to see the office packed
to the doors by an eager crowd of
people and some of these were pedes-
trians thinking that land had probably
taken a tumble in price and the real
estate men were literally doing a land
office business also stepped into the
office to enquire what it was all about.
The drawing card was a fine exhibition
of fruits grown in the Okanagan Valley
Adams, a representative of the Okana-
gan Land Co. While the display was
not large the quality was all that could
be desired and consisted mostly of
apples. A pipin was shown which
weighed 20 oz. Some of the varieties
shown were Winter Banana, Graven-
steins, Jonathan, and Wolfe River,
there were also a splendid sample of
Flemish Beauty pears shown. In con-
versation with Mr. Adams it was
learned that all kinds of fruits and vege-
tables can be grown there and that
land sells from \$150 to \$500 an acre.
The land practically sustains itself from
the beginning and in from three to
four years will fetch in a good income.
The temperature averages 20 to 30 de-
grees above in winter and the climate
is mild with no winds all the year
round. Mr. Gaddes will likely have
an exhibit of this fruit at the Fair when
everybody should make it a point to
inspect it. An excursion is to be run
to the Okanagan on October 10 to re-
turning the following Saturday and anyone
wishing to go should see Mr. Gaddes
without delay. The Return fare is
\$22.65. The terms for this fruit land
is very reasonable and there is very
little of it left.

Announcement

Mrs. J. Bellamy wishes to announce
that she will be in Mrs. Steyer's
Millinery Store on October 13th, hair
day, with samples of fine dress goods,
and will take orders for material and
making up of same. She will guaran-
tee satisfaction in all. You will do
well to call on Mrs. Bellamy on the
above date and secure some of her
bargains.

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A. W. Martin, M. D., 83, 100 Halsey St., Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I am using your Peruna myself, and am recommending it to my patients in all cases of catarrh, and find it to be moribund you represent. Peruna can be had now of all druggists in this section. At the time I began using it, it was unknown."

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The Last Straw.

There was once a playwright who set in front at the first night of a new piece of his own. This piece failed—it failed dreadfully.

As the playwright sat, pale and sad, amid the hisses, a woman behind him leaned forward and said:

"Excuse me, sir, but, knowing you to be the author of this play, I took the liberty at the beginning of the performance of nipping off a lock of your hair. Allow me now to return it to you."—Stray Stories.

Wise mothers who know the virtues of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator always have it at hand, because it proves its value.

Alderman Tracy of Chicago, has a son who is out of boy boasting of his father's official position.

"My father," he said to a companion, "is an Alderman."

"Hah!" snorted the other boy, "that's nothing. My father blows the whistle at the mill!"

That settled it—Home Herald.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

"Now, Johnny," said the Sunday school teacher, "can you tell me of the most remarkable thing Moses did?"

"Yes, ma'am," responded the bright youth. "He broke down the commandments at the same time."—London Opinion.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, ss.

Lucene County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 6th day of December, A.D. 1886. **A. W. GLEASON.**

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

It was beginning to rain, and the man who was on the point of starting for church discovered that there was not an umbrella in the house fit for use. "You can borrow one from the T— next door," suggested the host for the night, "they never go to church."

"No, Laura," he answered with firmness. "It is wrong to go to church unless on Sunday. I shall punish myself for my carelessness by not going to church this morning."

Shoe Polish

"I tell you, Doc, people are so particular about the shoe polish they use that they are each trying to be sure and use 'S. I. M.'"

"It's easier for me, too, and you should use the same I get in the morning."

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A STRANGE PAGEANT.

Annual March of Mohammedans to the tomb of Moses.

One of the strangest of all the pageants which are to be seen in Jerusalem is the annual march of the Mohammedans to the tomb of Moses. To them, as well as to Christians and Jews, Moses is a prophet of the highest honor. But, rejecting the traditions of the Hebrews, they refuse to believe that he was buried in a valley in the land of Moab, as is described in the last chapter of Deuteronomy. Instead they assert that he was buried where he breathed his last, upon the summit of Mount Nebo.

Therefore each year at the time of the Greek Easter the faithful gather by thousands in the early morning before the site of the temple of Solomon in entire silence waiting for daybreak. Later the strange scene of quills is entirely transformed, fanatics dancing and preening, hordes of dervishes whirling about in mysterious "sacred" dances and hundreds of exhorters rousing the enthusiasm of their fellows. The scene is gaily with hundreds of red and green banners, and the only semblance of order is in the semicircular organizations of marchers.

At last the procession forms, with the banner bearers in the front, and bearing the yaghtan of the prophet—a short, straight edged sword used by the armies of Mohammed—and after these come dancers and marchers.

A large part of the population of Jerusalem gathers about the gate, out of which the procession moves toward the Mount of Olives, but few besides the faithful endeavor to obtain a place in the ranks of marchers, since death has often been the penalty on an attempt by a non-Mohammedan to make this march to "Nebo-Moses," the "tomb of Moses."

Traders of many kinds invade the camp, for the marchers remain at the mosque five days, and all their supplies must be bought from the wandering vendors of Olives, but few besides the faithful endeavor to obtain a place in the ranks of marchers, since death has often been the penalty on an attempt by a non-Mohammedan to make this march to "Nebo-Moses," the "tomb of Moses."

An English traveler who brought an order from the pasha to demand admittance, and although in recent years it has become possible to enter, it is too early yet to forget the experience of one who kept his own Tablets in the house for some time.

"This firman," the guardian priest said, "means that you are to enter the mosque. Very well; you can enter. But think well before you do so, for I find nothing written here about letting you out again."

Measuring a Spirit.

A man of St. Joseph, Mo., relates a story connected with a spiritualistic meeting once held in that town. A man named Daniel Miller, who was some six feet seven inches in height, had died recently.

The spirit of Daniel was called for by some one at the seance mentioned. When it had appeared and announced its readiness to reply to any question, some one asked:

"Are you in heaven?"

"Yes," came from the shade of Daniel.

"Are you an angel, Dan?"

"Yes."

At this juncture the questioner paused, having apparently exhausted his fund of questions. But, to the amusement of all, he suddenly added:

"And would you measure from tip to tip, Dan?"

Took Kindly to the Water.

They tell the story of the experience of two Maine boys in trying to catch a woodchuck:

They had tried quite a number of times to capture the animal, but unsuccessfully. At last they decided to drown him out; so, procuring four pails, each two feet, and they carried water for two solid hours and poured it into the hole in the ground in which the sick chuk had taken up his abode. Getting tired, they sat down. After about half an hour the woodchuck cautiously left the hole and deliberately walked down to the brook and took a long drink of water and then scooted, much to the disgust of the two boys.

Thel. Achievements.

"I had two daughters. One married a French chauffeur."

"I see quite romantic."

"The second married an Indian, a descendant of a chieftain."

"I see quite aboriginal."

"But the third married a plain American business man."

"Um! Merely eccentric, I should say."—Tuck.

Accounted For.

Mrs. J. A. pulchra was much tried by a servant who had the habit of standing around with her mouth open. One day as the maid waited upon the table her mouth was open, as usual, and her mistress said:

"Mary, your mouth is open."

"Yassum," replied Mary; "I opened it."—Philadelphia Ledger.

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Beesie Ditts brags so much about her conquests," began Goldie Hoan-

"Of course, she's more attractive than I am," interrupted Vera Cattr-

"Not at all," interrupted Vera Cattr-

"So sweet of you to say that, but I know she is."

"Nonsense! Why, she hasn't nearly as much money as you have,"—Catholic Standard and Times.

An Oil Without Alcohol.—Some oils are medicinal, but have alcohol as a prominent ingredient. A judicious mingling of six essential oils com-

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NEW RULER OF AFRICANISTAN.

An Interesting Man Almost as Versatile as the Kaiser.

A short, stout man, who wears a gray frock coat when visiting, like a remarkably good bridge, does not hesitate to sit down at the piano and sing a song for the entertainment of a party, and after dinner has been known to speed the parting friend with a long and animated conversation on the deepest—this is one side of the character of Habib-ullah Khan, ruler of the Afghans. Amir of Kabul, secker after God's health and lamp of the congregation and the faith. He did all these things when visiting India in the early part of last year, says a writer in The London Daily Mail. In some minds he created the impression that he was the Asiatic counterpart of the German Emperor.

He told various people who he met that he was the best smith in Afghanistan, the best carpenter, the best drill sergeant. Then he claimed to be able to do the largest amount of work in any mullah, and as a matter of fact led 700,000 people in prayer at Delhi—this is the largest of his many records. He speaks seven or eight languages; he plays cricket; he has acquired a taste for the motor car and he seems to think very highly of his own powers as a doctor.

He has, however, apparently known how to enjoy himself at a race meeting, and when he makes a bet, he pays on it. He is a very good horseman in India, and is often staked solemnly before him, carrying a vast cashbox full of money, from which disbursements are made. He is always ready when he plays cricket with his attendants, and is generally always wins. It might perhaps be risky for opponents to make a better showing.

The Amir is the son of one who was a slave girl before she became one of the Queens of Afghanistan. His home in Kabul is not so large as that maintained by his father. Amir Hamilton says that when the Amir was a child, he and his brothers were divorced in order to keep the spirit of the Koran law, which forbids the maintenance of more than four wives.

Many shaves of processions charms, and are taken into the harem from time to time and added to the number of his concubines. But the Amir appears to exercise a strict censorship to the type of slave. The hapless woman who becomes a favorite and excites the admiration of the Amir is generally removed.

One queen, it is recorded, "has killed with her own hands three of her slaves and has been charged with the crime of murder." The Amir is reported to have been very much shocked by this.

The four wives of the Amir "occupy a separate residence, and are separated from the Amir by a wall of stone. The first wife draws an allowance of one lakh of rupees annually; the second wife receives 20,000 rupees; the third wife 40,000 rupees; the fourth wife 20,000 rupees a year.

One rather gathers that the domestic life of the Amir is not untroubled and that the influence of his wives is not cast on the side of peace and quietness.

An Island of Massacres.

Hayti, the West Indian island, to which public attention has just recently been directed, has been the scene of more atrocities than any other place on earth.

They began with the coming of Columbus and continued until the present time. In a few years its 2,000,000 of gentle, brown-skinned inhabitants had perished almost exterminated by fire and sword and by forced labor in the mines.

Next the buccaners seized the unhappy island and wreaked vengeance on the Spaniards. Presently came the French, and for a brief space there was some semblance of peace. But in 1793 the negroes revolted and murdered practically all the whites.

On account of these atrocities, frightful reprisals took place when France, in due course, reconquered the island. But the negroes hid their time and presently rose again under a ruffian named Dessalines. This time the whites died the thing though. Not only were all the Europeans put to death, but all having any adventure of white blood their veins suffered a like fate. In all it is computed that 5,000,000 men, women and children have met with violent deaths on this island of massacres since the intruding white man first set foot on its palm-fringed strand.

Mexican Rapid Transit.

The queerest mode of travel I saw in all Mexico was that adopted by a woman who was on her way to the doctor, seated complacently in a chair borne on the back of a man. Some Mexican women are afraid of even the mule car, while they look upon the rapidly spinning trotty with such trembling of knees that cannot be persuaded to put foot upon it. Unable to say coach hire, they employ the human carrier at a few cents for each trip.—Tribune Magazine.

Unchanged.

"I met Dunkey today for the first time in years. He hasn't changed much."

"Oh, he hasn't changed at all, but he doesn't seem to realize it."

"How do you mean?"

"Oh, he's forever talking about 'what a fool he used to be.'"

Lincoln's Calendar Clock.

The parish church of St. Botolph, Boston, England, which was damaged by lightning recently, dates from the 14th century, and is remarkable in more ways than one. The tower—"Boston's Stump"—is 72 feet high, with one exception the highest of any parish church in England, considering the many miles across the Lincolnshire fens and over the Wash, comprising 265 miles, corresponding to the days of the year. In the church 12 pillars, 52 windows, and seven doors symbolize the congregation of the months and weeks of the year and the days of the week; with the 24 hours of the day are represented by the 24 steps in the porch by which the library above is reached. On each side of the chancel 60 steps lead to the roof, one flight denoting the minutes in an hour and the other the seconds in a minute, and the four stories into which the lofty tower is divided clearly represent the four quarters and the four seasons of the year.

In the Game of Life.

"Hearts are trumps," the lover sighs.

"Shades are trumps," the laborer growls.

"Dimes are trumps," the maiden cries.

"Clubs are trumps," the policeman howls.

The Foe of Indigestion.—Indigestion is a common ailment and few are free from it. It is a most distressing complaint and often the suffering attending it is most severe. The very best remedy is Farmer's Vegetable Pills taken according to directions. They rectify the irregular action of the stomach and restore healthy action. For many years they have been a standard remedy for dyspepsia and indigestion, and are highly esteemed for their qualities.

Here is an extract from the prospectus of a hotel in Switzerland.

"Websbach is the favorite place of resort for those who are fond of solitude. Persons seeking of solitude are, in fact, constantly flocking here from the four quarters of the globe."—Home Herald.

PROMINENT OAK LAKE FARMER.

Oak Lake, Man.—Mr. Jas. Milne, of Oak Lake, was in Winnipeg on Wednesday of last week and received surgical treatment from Dr. F. W. W. Barnham.

"I wish I were an ostrich," said Hicks, angrily, as he tried to get one of his wife's biscuits, but couldn't.

